BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS & SAFETY COUNCIL CHAMBERS MARCH 5, 2013

The Board of Public Works & Safety met in regular session on Tuesday, March 5, 2013 at 10:00 A.M., E.S.T.

Mayor Brown presided with the following members absent or present:

Present: Susan Fye and Jayne Farber

Susan Fye made a motion for approval of the February 26, 2013 minutes. Jayne Farber seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

Matt Myers, Deputy Chief of Police, requested the Board approve an Application for Taxicab Driver's License for Steve L. Fields with Columbus Cab Company, LLC. Susan Fye made a motion to approve the request. Jayne Farber seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

David Hayward, City Engineer, requested the Board approve the Special Use of Right-of-Way in summary for activity as stated in the attachment. Jayne Farber made a motion to approve the request from Bennett Motor Express. Susan Fye seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

David Hayward requested Board approval for Special Use of Right-of-Ways for outdoor seating at downtown restaurants. Restaurants include Zaharakos Ice Cream Parlor and Museum, The Garage Pub and Grill, Columbus Bar, Bistro 310, Tre Bicchieri Italian Restaurant, Smith's Row, and the Viewpoint Books. Discussion followed. The Board spoke in favor of the outdoor dining as it is warm and inviting to residents and visitors, but also voiced concern for providing a safe environment for pedestrians using the sidewalks. The Board discussed Columbus Bar who was requesting a ten (10) foot closure for outdoor seating when the others requested six (6) foot closures. Susan Fye made a motion to approve all outdoor seating requests as presented except the closure for Columbus Bar. Approval for closure of Columbus Bar outdoor seating would be reduced from ten (10) to a six (6) foot closure. Jayne Farber seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

Bryan Burton, Street/Recycling Supervisor, requested the Board's approval to clean up the following property:

2700 12th Street Owner: Gregory G. Greathouse

The property owner has been notified by regular mail and given ample time to comply. Jayne Farber made a motion to approve the request. Susan Fye seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

Luann Welmer, Clerk-Treasurer, requested the Board approve eight (8) dockets of claims. Susan Fye made a motion to approve the request. Jayne Farber seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 11:14 A.M., E.S.T.

	Presiding Officer	
	Member	
	Member	
Attest:		
Clerk-Treasurer of the City of Columbus, Indiana		